GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

ALLOWANCES – Suits –APHC/ APAT – Sanction of Special Compensatory Allowance to certain employees working in Schedule Areas – Orders – Issued.

FINANCE (TA) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 163

Dated: 04-06-2009.

Read the followings:-

- 1) G.O.Ms.No.6, Finance (TA) Department, dated:12-01-2007.
- 2) G.O.Ms.No.295, Finance (TA) Department, dated:04-10-2008.
- 3) O.A.No.8644, 8647, 8648, 9072, 9860, 9584, 9447, 10753, 10906 and 10907 of 2008, 361 and 1260 of 2009 and W.P.No.1847 of 2008.
- 4) Letter R.C.No.2364/06-TRI-Scheduled Areas, dated:20-05-2009, received from the Director, TRI & TI, A.P., Hyderabad.

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ORDER:

In the Government Order 1st read above, orders were issued sanctioning Special Compensatory Allowance (SCA) to the employees working in agency areas, which was based on the recommendations of One Man Committee. The SCA was given as a slab on the basic pay drawn in Revised Pay Scales, 2005 at different rates applicable to different geographical areas Non-Mandals, Mandals and Hills/Hilltops. (annexure-I,II and III appended G.O.1st read above)

In the reference 2nd read above, based on the interim orders of Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal in O.A.No.6206, 6427, 6520, 6618, 6659, 6707, 7277, 7649, 7864 of 2007, 78, 125, 533, 1515, 1733, 1734, 1736 and 2117 of 2008 and clarification received from the Director, Tribal Welfare (TRI) Department thereon orders were issued extending the Special Compensatory Allowance to the applicants in the O.A.'s mentioned ibid.

In the reference 3rd read above, certain employees have approached the Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal and the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh, A.P.Hyderabad praying that Hamlets/Habitations under the Revenue Villages in which they are working are not covered in the Government Order 1st read above, accordingly, they were denied the SCA.

Hon'ble Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal in its interim orders in the references 3rd cited, has directed the respondents to consider the cases of the applicants for sanction of Special Compensatory Allowances in terms of Government order 1st read above.

In the reference 4th cited, The Director, Tribal Cultural Research and Training Institute while enclosing the information, has stated that the required information was obtained from the Project Officer of ITDA., and stated that all habitations listed in OAs and W.P. in the reference 3rd read above falls within the Schedules Areas.

Government after careful examination hereby order that that the applicants working in the hamlets i.e., agency areas mentioned in O.A.No's 8644/2008, 9072/2008, 9447/2008, 10753/2008, 10906/2008, 10907/2008, 361/2009 and 1260/2009 are eligible to claim Special Compensatory Allowance at the rate fixed under Non-Mandal and the applicants working in hamlets i.e., agency areas mentioned in O.A.No.9584/2008 and W.P.No.1847/2008 are eligible to claim Special Compensatory Allowance at the rate fixed under Hill/Hill tops in the G.O.1st read above.

The Applicants in O.A.No.8647/2008 working at Hamlet in Lalghada and Pendalwada are eligible to claim Special Compensatory Allowance at the rate fixed under Hill/Hill tops and applicants working at other hamlets are eligible to claim Special Compensatory Allowance at the rate fixed under Non-Mandal in the G.O.1st read above.

The Applicants in O.A.No.8648/2008 working at Hamlet in Pothagudaset are eligible to claim Special Compensatory Allowance at the rate fixed under Hill/Hilltops and applicants working at other Hamlets are eligible to claim Special Compensatory Allowance at the rate fixed under Non-Mandal in the G.O.1st read above.

The Applicants in O.A.No.9860/2008 working at Hamlet in P.S.Jhandaguda are eligible to claim Special Compensatory Allowance at the rate fixed under Hill/Hilltops and applicants working at other Hamlets are eligible to claim Special Compensatory Allowance at the rate fixed under Non-Mandal in the G.O.1st read above.

These orders shall come into force with effect from the date of issue of the orders.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

S.E .SEKHAR BABU, SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (FP) (i/c)

To

The District Collectors, Adilabad/West Godavari/Khammam.

The Tribal Welfare Department.

The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

The Director of Tribal Welfare Department, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Director, TCR & TI, A.P., Hyderabad

The DTO/DD, District Treasuries Office, Adilabad, West Godavari and Khammam.

The District Education Officer, Adilabad, West Godavari and Khammam.

The Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad, Khammam District.

The Hostel Welfare Officer, Government B.C.Boys Hostel, Tekulapally, Khammam District.

// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER